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CONTROLLED CONDUCTIVITY

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This preliminary amendment accompanies the filing of a continuation patent application. Prior to examination, please amend the above identified application as follows:

In the Specification:

Marked up versions of all revised paragraphs, showing insertions and deletions, are included in Appendix A.

Replace the paragraph at page 1, line 6, with the following paragraph:

This application is a continuation of prior U.S. Application Serial No. 09/249,041 filed February 12, 1999, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent 5,902,650. U.S. Application Serial No. 09/249,041 and U.S. Patent 5,902,650 are hereby incorporated herein by reference.

In the Claims:

A listing of all pending claims upon entry of this amendment is included in Appendix B.

Please cancel claims 1-31.